



By the Lord Deputie and Councell.

¶ A Proclamation for the Restraint of Rebellious persons who commit outrages
in hope of a generall Pardon.

HENRY FALKLAND.

Herasimuch as it is certified vnto Us, by good and credibl Information out of divers and sundry parts of this Kingdome, That Bearne, and other lewd and disorderly persons haue of late encreased, and assembled themselves together in extraordinarie numbers and companies after a rebellious manner, and haue committed sundrie stealthes, rapines, spoyles, and other outrages and misdemeanors to the great danger of his Maesties loving Subjects of this kingdome, whiche insolencie of theirs is conceiued to arise and grow from the late voice of a Parliament shortly to ensue and to be called in this Kingdome, and out of a vaine imagination that whatsoeuer offences they shall commit betweene this and the beginning of the said Parliament shalbe remitted by the generall Pardon of the same, For the taking away of whiche vaine hope of impunitie and all presumption of offending to be grounded thereupon. These are therefore in his Maesties name to notifie and declare that whatsoeuer generall Pardon his Maestie may be pleased to graunt, or that shall be graunted by the next ensuing Parliament in this Kingdome, that yet the same shall not extend to the pardoning of any offences or misdemeanors whatsoeuer whiche haue beene committed since the eleventh day of July last, or that shall be done, perpetrated, or committed hereafter, nor to any person or persons whatsoeuer for any crime or misdemeanour whatsoeuer, committed, or to be committed since the said eleventh day of July, But that all and singular such offences committed or to be committed after that time are to be utterly exempted out of the said Pardon, and the offendours therein to expect no benefit thereof, but to receive such condigne punishment as shall be due to the merit of their actions, as if the said Pardon had never beene had ne made, whiche we thought good to publish least any ill disposed person or persons should wilfully enter into any unlawfull action whereby to incurre the danger of law in expectation of the said Pardon, whiche for any offences to be committed after the time aforesaid, it is resolued shall not be extended vnto them.

Given at his Maesties Castle of Dublin 23. day of August, 1628.

Th. Baltinglasser.

Henry Docwra.

Dud. Norton.

Roger Jones.

Adam Loftus.

James Blount.

God sauе the King.

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